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Competitive Product Prices
Priority Mail Contract 41 (MC2012-39)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2012-47

PUBLIC REPRESENTATIVE MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF COMMENT DEADLINE (January 13, 2016)

On December 31, 2015, the Postal Service filed notice that it has agreed to an Amendment to the existing Priority Mail Contract 41 negotiated service agreement approved in this docket. The Commission issued Order No. 2971, which established January 11, 2016 as the deadline for interested parties to submit initial comments. Chairman's Information Request No. 1 was issued on January 7, 2016, and the responses were due on January 12, 2016. The Postal Service's responses to CHIR No. 1 were filed on January 12, 2016.

Since these responses are essential to the evaluation of the Notice, the Public Representative requests that the Commission extend the deadline for filing comments to allow the Public Representative and other commenters adequate time to consider and evaluate the Postal Service's responses. Accordingly, the Public Representative requests that the deadline for filing comments be extended for three additional business days after the filing of the complete responses to CHIR No. 1 to January 19, 2016. Extension of comment deadline should not delay the proceeding, nor should any participant be adversely affected by extension of comment deadline.

¹ Notice of United States Postal Service of Change in Prices Pursuant to Amendment to Priority Mail Contract 41, December 31, 2015.

² Order No. 2971, Notice and Order Concerning Amendment to a Priority Mail Negotiated Service Agreement, January 4, 2016.

³ Chairman's Information Request No. 1, January 7, 2016.

⁴ Responses of the United States Postal Service to Chairman's Information Request No. 1, January 12, 2016.

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